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IPPS-A Program Management Office Project Manager



Colonel Robert G. McVay has served as the Program Manager for the Integrated Personnel and Pay System-Army (IPPS-A), under the Program Executive Office Enterprise Information Systems (PEO EIS), since October, 2011. He is responsible for the Army's integration and deployment of the largest implementation of PeopleSoft ever, which will join together Human Resources and Military Pay into an Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) system with a workforce of 90 military, civilian, and contractor personnel.

Prior to his assignment as IPPS-A Program Manager, he served as the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, and Technology (ASA (ALT) Director of Plans, Programs and Resources. He was assigned as the Product Manager for the Future Combat System (FCS), Non-Line of Sight Cannon (NLOS-C) and Mortar (NLOS-M) systems, Multi-National Force-Iraq liaison for all communications and networking systems, Department of the Army Systems Coordinator, and the Deputy Director for the Battle Command Directorate, ASA (ALT). He was assigned as one of the first Assistant Product Managers (APM) in the Brigade Combat Team – Stryker office for the Command, Medical, Mounted Mortar Carrier and Anti-Tank Guided Missile Vehicles. He served as the Assistant Training and Doctrine (TRADOC) Systems Manager – Bradley for Training, Test Officer for the M2A3, and the Operations Officer at the Defense Systems Management College. He served as Company Commander for the Information Systems Software Center and Software Development Center, system automation engineer, 1st Cavalry Division G3 Air Officer, and the S1 and S3 Air in 2nd Battalion 5th Cavalry Regiment. He served as a platoon leader and executive officer in 1st Battalion, 29th Infantry Regiment at Fort Benning, and a platoon leader in the Hawaii Army National Guard prior to assuming active duty in 1990. Col. McVay was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Infantry from New Mexico Military Institute in 1987.

His awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLC), the Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal (1 OLC), Army Achievement Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, and he is a recipient of the Order of Saint Maurice and the Honorable Order of Saint Barbara.

Col. McVay holds a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from the University of Hawaii and a Master of Science in Science and Technology Commercialization from the University of Texas at Austin. He

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